Determining Top Paying Industries for Older Women

Question:

What are the top growth industries, in terms of average monthly earnings, in Northern Virginia for women age 55-64?

What period is reported?

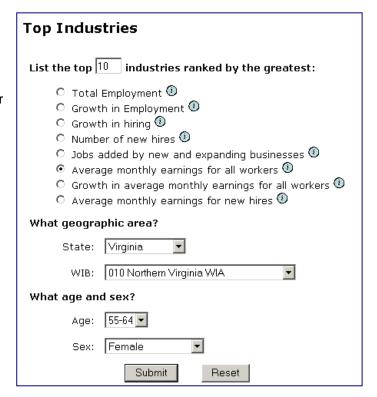
How does this compare to the average monthly earnings for all industries, for the area and demographic described above?

Which of the top industries listed has the greatest potential in terms of number of jobs?

How do the top growth industries, again based on average monthly earnings, differ for men of the same age in the same location?

Process:

- 1. Use Top Industries
 - Select ranking factor =
 Average monthly earnings for all workers
 - b. Select Geograpy = Virginia
 - c. Select WIB = Northern Virginia
 - d. Select Age = 55-64
 - e. Select Females
 - f. Select Submit



Answer:

Top industries, based on average monthly earnings, for women, ages 55-64, in Northern Virginia are shown below:



Internet Service Providers... \$6,075 Telecommunications \$5,536 Securities, Commodities \$5,304 Credit Intermediation \$5,288 Management of Companies .. \$5,134

Period is the 4 quarters ending 2004Q1, as shown at the bottom of the results table.

Average monthly earnings for all industries - \$3,435, about 2/3 of the 5th leading industry's average monthly earnings.



Management of Companies shows an average monthly employment of more than 5,000.

Top industries for men of the same age, in the same Workforce Investment Area, are not dissimilar from those of women, with three of five industries common to both. However, average monthly earnings are quite different.

Process:

- a) Use the back button to return to the input screen
- b) Change sex from Female to Male
- c) All other selected variables will remain the same
- d) Select Submit

